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Sir:

After receipt of the Notice of Allowance mailed April 3, 2006, the undersigned attorney contacted the Examiner respectfully requesting the signed copies of the Form 1449 forms submitted with Information Disclosure Statements (IDSes) filed December 23, 2004 and February 10, 2003. Copies of these IDSes are attached within Exhibits A and B.

The Examiner has acknowledged receipt of both IDSes by the USPTO, but indicated to the undersigned attorney that the IDS contents for the IDS filed February 10, 2003 are not clearly contained within the internal records of the USPTO. Therefore, per a request by the Examiner in order to ensure that the cited references have been fully considered, the undersigned attorney is submitting these IDSes and corresponding Form 1449 forms as part of a Rule 312 Amendment.

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Consideration and return of the signed Form 1449 forms along with a Supplemental Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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